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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION**

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Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the Final Office Action mailed on November 15, 2007 ("Final Office Action") in the above-identified patent application. The Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments preliminary to continued examination in the instant application and consideration of the following remarks. The Applicant also respectfully requests continued examination in the instant application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include the attached two Replacement Sheets. An **Appendix** including two Replacement Sheets of FIGS. 1-2 is attached following page 18 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.